

message summary

In this passage we discover a list of laws given by God to the Israelites regarding sexual morality. These laws were intended to set apart God's people and establish boundaries for healthy relationships and family life. Many of us are uncomfortable having the conversation of sex with others, especially with other believers inside the church. We often have been taught that sex is something we don't talk about which leaves us feeling that it is gross, shameful, or immoral. We have left the world to fill in the gaps when it comes to the topic of holy sexuality and purity. Let's read Leviticus 18 together and then have a discussion on what purity can look like for those who follow Jesus today.

observation

- What are some of the specific prohibitions mentioned in Leviticus 18 regarding sexual behavior?

- How does the chapter begin, and what is the context of these laws?

- What consequences are mentioned for violating these laws?

interpretation

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- Why does God care so deeply about our sexuality and call us to be sexually pure?

- What does Romans 1:18-32 say about sexuality? How is this influencing the church?

- What does 1 Corinthians 6:12-20 teach us to do in order to overcome temptations in the area of sexuality?

application

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- How do the principles outlined in Leviticus 18 apply to our lives today?

- What are some challenges we face in upholding these moral standards in our current culture?

- How can we support one another in living according to God's moral laws while showing love and grace to those who struggle?
